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PATENT APPLICATION

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Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 8, 2004 for three months from January 8, 2004 to April 8, 2004.

Please charge **Agere Systems Deposit Account No. 50-1735** in the amount of \$950.00 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to **Account No. 50-1735**. Duplicate copies of this petition are enclosed.

Respectfully,

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